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HUSTONVILLE.

T. L. Carpenter and J. T. Rose sold 64 1,500-lb. cattle to Montie Fox at \$4.00 and delivered them Monday.

Dr. James Lane Allen, of Danville, will preach in the Presbyterian church here on Sunday next, 27th, at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

There will be a meeting of the officers of the Hustonville Fair Co. here next Saturday, 26th, at 2 P. M. The matter of holding a Fair this year and the date of same are the important items to be decided.

The telephone line to connect us with your city will be completed by the first of the coming week. The stock to build the Bradfordsville line has been subscribed and a meeting will soon be called at this place to elect officers and let the contracts for building the line.

A strong movement is being inaugurated here to establish a graded school. The trustees of some of the nearest districts are favoring the plan and we believe there will be a sufficient number from the others to insure its success. The county superintendent heartily endorses the idea and will gladly aid in this worthy cause.

The McKinney correspondent of the Cincinnati Post telegraphs that Winter Wright has skipped the country and the statement was published in the issue of Saturday last. I wish to state that there is not one word of truth in the statement. Winter Wright is still at home and has no intention to evade the law. The correspondent might have ascertained this fact had he not been desirous of publishing a lie. W. H. Wright.

RELIGIOUS.

Rev. Lorenzo D. McCabe, D. D., a distinguished author and theologian, died at Delaware, O.

The Baptist Young People's Union convention at Chattanooga is expected to attract 15,000 visitors.

Dr. E. F. Walker, the Presbyterian holiness evangelist, was advertised to preach at the Methodist church last night.

Elder Jos. Severance baptized four persons Sunday at New Bethel, on Green River. Elder Ed Hubbard is pastor of the church.

The meeting at Mt. Hebron conducted by Revs. Grinstead and Neal continues with 15 conversions. Eight joined Sunday night.

There is a Baptist preacher out in the mountains of Kentucky named Berrum. We find that there are a great many others in this world who do the same thing.—Winchester Democrat.

The children's day exercises at Walnut Flat were highly creditable, the little ones doing remarkably well. The ladies had decorated the church and otherwise made the occasion attractive. Rev. G. H. Turner preached an able sermon and announced that Sunday, July 11, his installation would occur at Caldwell church, when Revs. Gilliam, J. C. Frances and T. M. Williams will officiate.

Rev. R. B. Mahony made a motion that the General Assembly of Kentucky Baptists in session at Georgetown express its sense on the sanctification question, which resulted in the following: "Whereas, the modern sanctification craze is seriously troubling some of our churches, resolved that we regard it as a dangerous heresy and urge our brethren by no means to give it sympathy and encouragement." There was a large audience present and the discussions were both interesting and profitable.

The export of American bicycles is getting to be a considerable item. For the 10 months prior to April 1, 1897, the value of exported wheels was \$5,283,504, as against \$1,901,347 for the same period last year.

Cashier Youtsey, of the Third National Bank of Newport, was indicted by the federal court at Frankfort and will be tried July 7, when he had just as well prepare to enter the pen.

While bathing in a pool near Greenville, Texas, Cashier King, of the First National Bank of Greenville, Miss Austin, of same place, and Ida Schenck, of Sherman, Texas, were drowned.

John McFarland, living near Crooksville, O., died of sunstroke. A wagon containing an undertaker and three others going to the house was struck by lightning and two killed.

An earthquake or electrical shock was felt in various parts of the State Thursday. Near Lexington, Mrs. Lucy Anderson, who was awakened, died instantly of heart disease.

A heavy windstorm started a fire in the Western Union Telegraph office at Montgomery, Ala., causing a loss to the company of \$40,000.

Five women and a man in Stewart county, Tenn., were flogged by a band of masked men and ordered to seek emigration.

A three-year-old child was killed at Hagerstown, Md., by his brother, aged four, who was playing with his father's pistol.

THE ELOCUTIONARY CONTEST.

MRS. CHERRY WINS FIRST AND MISS CLARK SECOND HONORS.

MESSRS. WATERS, BEAZLEY & MENEFEE SCORE ANOTHER TRIUMPH AS PROMOTERS.

The elocutionary contest drew a large crowd to Walton's Opera House Friday night, all the neighboring towns and many in a distance being represented.



MRS. BEZZIE LYLE CHERRY.

Presented. The stage, beautifully decorated by Mesdames Permelia Brown, J. W. Hayden and Mary Craig, presented a scene of rarest beauty, when the eight young women, clad mostly in pur-



MISS LUCILE CLARK.

est white, were seated by the gentlemanly ushers amid the banks of potted and cut flowers. At 8:30 Chairman Lucien M. Lewis delivered a very appropriate and beautiful opening address, after which Miss Ella May Saunders, of Livingston, recited "Leah, the Forsaken;" Miss Claudia Wilhoit, Nichol asville, "The Polish Boy;" Miss Ida May Adams, Mt. Vernon, "The Death Bridge of the Tay;" Miss Nannie Wilson Bell, Harrodsburg, "The First Settler's Story;" Miss Sue Fisher Woods, Stanford, "Queen Vashti's Lament;" Miss Lucile Clark, Danville, "The Daughter of France;" Miss Ora Ellis, Lexington, "The Last Hymn," and Mrs. Bezzie Lyle Cherry, Bowling Green, "Jack, the Fisherman." Space forbids the extended notice that each young lady deserves on her especially good points. It must suffice to say that each did so well that all would have worn medals in less hotly contested rings. The Judges, Elders J. S. Shouse and W. R. Lloyd and W. I. Williams, were in consultation but a short time when through Mr. Lloyd, who made a happy speech, they announced the awards and delivered the prizes, the first, a handsome gold watch, to Mrs. Bezzie Lyle Cherry and the second, a costly lamp, to Miss Lucile Clark. The decision was received with applause, though many were of the opinion that the honors should have been reversed. The young ladies rushed to congratulate the winners and the highly enjoyable evening closed with apparent general satisfaction.

Both of the winners have wonderfully improved in the year since their last appearance here, when Mrs. Cherry got the second prize and Miss Clark got one of the three votes for the first. Both are deserving of all the good things that are being said of them, and if she could hear them, the pang of disappointment at not getting the first honor, would change to almost real joy in the heart of Miss Clark, who is entitled to the fullest mead of praise.

The musical feature of the entertainment was in charge of that natural as well as highly cultivated little musician, Miss Angie Ballou, and was a most pleasing one, her own contributions and that of her talented sister, Miss Flora Ballou, being unusually attractive. Misses Janie and Hettie Weareen played the entrance march very nicely. The vocal solo by Mrs. A. G. Huffman and her little daughter, Allie, were well given, the little one showing that she has inherited the musical talent of father and mother. Miss Isabella Bailey put more laurels on her pretty brow by rendering a difficult violin solo with ease and grace rarely attained by one of her age. Misses Janie Weareen and Annie Darst also contributed a well-played duet on the piano. The music was given at proper intervals during the contest, which lasted fully three hours.

The promoters of the enterprise, Messrs. Joe F. Waters, S. W. Menefee

and E. H. Beazley, deserve great credit for giving our people such a pleasant entertainment and they will be glad to know that the temporary firm had \$91.51 to divide among its members. The total receipts for their two last entertainments amounted to \$400.

MT. VERNON.

Elders Farrar and Skyblue filled the pulpit at the Christian church Sunday.

Miss Fannie Ferran has secured the place of assistant in the East Bernstein school.

Mr. C. C. Davis, one of our most enterprising and trustworthy young men, has charge of the Miller House during the absence of the proprietor, Mr. Hugh Miller.

The aid society met with Mrs. Dr. A. G. Lovell last Thursday. Mrs. D. N. Williams was chosen president; Mrs. James McKinney, treasurer, and Miss Mattie Williams, secretary.

We neglected to mention the district officers chosen at the last W. C. T. U. convention. Mrs. Mary R. Patterson was chosen president; Mrs. Rosalind Nesbitt, Recording Secretary; Mrs. R. L. Elkin, Corresponding Secretary, and Mrs. Samuel Ward, treasurer.

The rites of baptism were administered by Elder Burum last Thursday morning to the converts of the recent meeting. Thirteen young Christians took part in this impressive ceremony while a large crowd stood on the banks of the liquid stream, shaded by lovely forest trees.

Editor James Maret, Messrs. R. G. Williams and Hugh Miller and family joined the excursionists of the Press Association at this place. Miss Margie McClary returned home from Loretto last Saturday. Miss Sallie Cook is visiting friends in town. Mrs. W. T. Smith has been quite ill.

The INTERIOR JOURNAL staff has our sincere thanks for many courtesies extended to us during a recent visit to the beautiful little city of Stanford. The contest was a charming entertainment and the handsome audience composed of beautiful women and chivalrous men showed marked appreciation of the efforts of the fair contestants.

Withers, this county, is becoming a very busy place. Beside the large rock quarry interest of W. C. Mullins & Co., an oil well is being sunk there and it is said land will bring fabulous prices there within the next few months. There is no doubt now that oil was struck at Brodhead and kept a secret for purposes best known to those persons most interested.

The sad news of the death of Mrs. Melissa A. Cress was received by her many friends here Friday, 18th. She had been a resident of this place for a number of years, but having been an invalid sought relief at the well-known Joseph Price Hospital of Stanford, where for a time the hope for relief was gained. Mrs. Cress was born Oct. 20, 1866, professed religion at the age of 14 years under the preaching of Rev. F. L. Warren, attaching herself to the Olive church, Lincoln county, and during her life remained a consistent member of that church. She was married to T. J. Cress, of Mt. Vernon, May 15, 1887, to whom was born one child, which died in infancy. Besides her husband, she leaves two loving sisters, five kind brothers and an aged father, together with numerous friends here to mourn her untimely death. She was laid to rest in Olive cemetery near her father's residence, June 19th.

Acting Gov. Worthington has pardoned Lewis Land, who was serving 10 years for participation in the Delaney-Oliver tragedy in Union county several years ago. Land is the last of those accused to go free, all the rest having been acquitted or convicted for brief terms.

Leo, son of Dr. E. M. Gober, was drowned while bathing in Kentucky river. Young Gober was emerging from a dive when a companion jumped on him from the top of a boat house. The body has not yet been recovered.

In a small town in South Dakota the three saloons are owned, controlled and personally managed by the mayor, marshal and clerk respectively, and citizens not holding office are not encouraged to enter this branch of trade.

Col. L. P. Stone has asked permission from Sheriff Plunkett to adjust the noose and spring the trap at the execution of the murderer of Stone's wife at Deadwood, S. D., and the request has been granted.

Immediately after family prayer at her home in Covington, Miss. Amelia Baer, aged 22 years, went into the parlor and cut her throat from ear to ear with her brother's razor. There was no known cause.

Over 6,000 lives have been lost by the earthquake disturbances which have recently visited the province of Assam.

Duluth, Minn., has a policeman who is seven feet four inches tall and weighs nearly 300 pounds.

Frank Clark, a lineman, was killed by a live wire at Lexington.

George Wolf, Louisville's leading jeweler, is dead.

LANCASTER.

Mrs. B. F. Walters is visiting relatives in Lincoln county.

Mrs. Lizzie Frank, of Flemingsburg, is visiting Mesdames J. J. Walker and W. B. Mason.

James "Crow" Dillon is a candidate for jailer and if elected will make a good, faithful public servant.

J. M. Higginbotham, Capt. Mike Salter, J. A. Doty and T. M. Arnold are among the Confederate veterans who attend the re-union at Nashville this week.

On Friday a large barn belonging to J. W. Gillispie near Lowell, containing a quantity of corn and farming implements, was struck by lightning and burned.

Our small boy base ball team went to Richmond Friday to play the return game, which resulted in a score of 50 to 20 in favor of Richmond. They all seem to play better at home.

Garrard county furnished the governor and now wants to furnish the clerk of the appellate court, O. T. Wallace, of Point Leavell, having been nominated for that office on the prohibition ticket.

The proposed annexation of Hawaii should be bitterly opposed as a scheme to enrich speculators and strengthen the republican party. We have territory enough without paying \$4,000,000 for a worthless island, inhabited by a mixed race, all for the benefit of a few individuals. We had better do something for Cuba.

Miss Mary Moore Stevens, sister of Mrs. J. W. Pumphrey, died of paralysis Thursday evening. She was about 50 years old and had been blind for 16 years. She was a member of the Baptist church. Funeral services were conducted by Elder Gowen and the remains were interred in Lancaster cemetery Friday afternoon.

A contest, composed of six experienced speakers, each having been successful on former occasions, will be conducted at the court-house on Tuesday evening, June 29, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society. The prize will be a purse of gold. Music will be furnished by the Lancaster Concert Band. Stanford, Harrodsburg, Richmond and Lexington will furnish talented representatives.

As re-unions seem to be fashionable a scheme is on foot to have a gathering of "The Crows" at Dripping Springs some time this summer. Dr. Peyton is the chief at Stanford and James Dillon in this city. It is a mystic, mysterious order, and, being a member, I should like to attend. One thing certain—a "crow" can't talk and this fact keeps the order bound together by the strongest ties of brotherhood. Their meetings are characterized by plenty to eat and drink.

Last Friday morning Thomas Cecil, a merchant at Marksburg, shot John Royston through the thigh, inflicting a painful wound. Cecil claimed that he had frightened his wife by driving rapidly by her, on returning from a reception a few evenings ago. When asked about it harsh words were used and reports say that Cecil ordered him to leave his store and shot him as he left, the ball entering at the back of the thigh. Cecil claims that Royston had a knife with which he was making demonstrations. No examining trial has yet been held.

J. I. Hamilton went to Louisville and contracted with Mr. Hall, the proprietor of the circus, billed here July 17, to show on the Fair grounds, giving him a per cent. of the gate receipts of that day. One ticket admits to the Fair and circus, or both exhibitions can be seen for what it costs to attend the Fair. This combination will insure a full attendance to both and is the best arrangement that could have been made.

Another attractive feature for the first day of the Fair will be a shooting match between Danville and Lexington parties at 200 live birds for \$50 a side, or a purse of \$100.

It is reported that free turnpike advocates held a convention near Judson on Saturday and passed resolutions declaring their opposition to any bill of free roads. Their leaders will certainly not mix this question up with politics now, as the roads are free and are likely to remain so. There are breakers ahead, however, in this part of the political sea. A craft can not sail smoothly and favor all diverse theories and policies at the same time and become entangled with different parties, interests and factions. The truth will become public and startling revelations and announcements will lead destruction in camps where the fires burn brightly now.

At Zebulon, Ga., Tom Delk, aged 24 and a noted outlaw, was hung in the presence of 4,000 people and the dispatch says: As the drop fell a mighty shout went up.

Pike county was delivered of its former terror and the murder of sheriff Gwynn was avenged.

George Wolf, Louisville's leading jeweler, is dead.

W. B. Bradley, the San Francisco millionaire, who was a second time convicted of spitting in street cars and sentenced to 24 hours in the county jail, will have to serve his sentence, the supreme court having failed him as a means of relief.

Died from asking another man if it was hot enough for him, was the verdict of a coroner's jury in New Mexico last week. In the more cultured States of the East we would have described the incident as a justifiable homicide.

Paderewski, once so haughty and impudent, has at last consented to play the piano for any one, however poor or humble. The only return he asks for such favor is \$5,000 cash in advance.

"The sweet bathing girl," says the Waycross, Ga., Journal, "now plunges into the surf wearing a lovely smile." That really isn't right. It's simply awful to talk that way.

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INTERIOR - JOURNAL BUILDING:

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W. P. WALTON.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

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"Com'lth Attorney, J. S. OWSLEY, Jr.
"Representative, - M. F. NORTH.
"County Judge, - J. E. LYNN.
"County Clerk, - GEO. B. COOPER.
"County Attorney, HARVEY HELM.
"Circuit Clerk, J. F. HOLDAM.
"Sheriff, - SAM'L M. OWENS.
"Jailer, - GEO. W. DEBORD.
"Assessor, - C. G. BAKER.
"Coroner, - WM. LANDGRAF.
Supt. Schools, GARLAND SINGLETON.

AN examination of the list of those who are with the so-called Press Association discloses the fact that as usual a large number, who are not connected with newspapers even remotely, but who are permitted by editors, who abuse their privilege, to represent them, help to swell the party. Railroads and people extend courtesies to the association with the understanding and belief that bona fide newspaper men and their wives and sweethearts alone are to receive them. It is therefore a great imposition to permit every one, who asks the privilege, to enjoy the hospitality and courtesies of corporations and communities which are thus doubly taxed to do so. The L. & N. railroad company has been exceedingly kind to the newspapers, but even a free horse should not be ridden to death, nor should the free grub be eaten by others than for whom it is intended. Free the association of its hangers on and barnacles and it will be a much more creditable set than the one which usually passes for its members.

OUR Confederate soldiers who will go to the re-union at Nashville tell us that if Gen. John B. Gordon persists in his determination not to accept re-election as commander, they will vote for Gen. Buckner, who next to Gen. Gordon, of those living, held the highest rank in the Confederate army. Gen. Gordon is not a rich man and as he has held the position for several years, which involves much time and expense, without any salary or perquisites attached, they think he ought not to be forced to devote another term to the work. In addition to his rank, Gen. Buckner is very wealthy and can afford to take the office and give his time and means to it. If Gen. Gordon can be induced to continue in command the old soldiers will be for him to a man, but they do not want to impose too much on one who has already given so liberally of his time and money to the noble cause.

IT has been ascertained that 57 Senators are for the Hawaiian annexation scheme, which is three short of the necessary two-thirds vote on such questions. There are 11 undecided in the matter and out of these the republicans claim they can get the requisite number and more. Otherwise they propose to accomplish their purpose by a joint resolution. The matter will be taken up by the committee on foreign affairs to-morrow and if it can not be rushed through, action will likely be postponed till next session. It ought to be postponed till doomsday.

THE court of appeals holds that the act of 1893, by which the building and loan associations were allowed to collect more than 6 per cent. interest by the collection of premiums, dues on stocks and other charges in addition to the regular rate of interest on loans, is special legislation and unconstitutional. The decision is a severe blow on these institutions and they will make a big effort to have it reversed. The court is given to reversing itself and may do so. The officers say that the decision will have no effect on the security of the loans, but will play havoc with dividends and many companies will have to go into liquidation.

DISSENSIONS have already arisen in the McKinley official family. Secretary Sherman, who has a mind of his own and is not shy in expressing it, is opposed to the policy of the president towards Hawaii, as well as on other things. Rumor, therefore, has it and it seems to be true, that Mr. Sherman will shortly resign from the cabinet, in which he seems to be a stumbling block, though when he goes he will take away most of the brains of the concern.

THE Harrodsburg Democrat, which persists in stating that prosperity is returning, says that in Mercer county good butter can be bought at 5 cents and slow sale at that. The poor woman who has to sell it at that price will hardly agree with the editor, who doubtless whistles to keep his courage up.

THE day after McKinley passed through Lexington a good plug horse sold for 15 cents. He would have probably sold for 10 cents the day before. Thus does the advance agent of prosperity fulfill the mission promised for him.

MIDDLESBORO did her best to make the editors have a big time and succeeded admirably. After leaving there, the party went to Knoxville, thence to Chattanooga, Lookout Mountain and the adjacent battle fields, the outing ending with a visit to the Nashville Centennial to-day. Col. J. Stoddard Johnston delivered an address by special request on "The Birth and History of the Kentucky Press," which was accorded a well-merited ovation. The following officers were elected: President, Loving W. Gaines, Elizton Progress; First Vice President, H. E. Woffolk, Danville Advocate; Second Vice President, John H. Westover, Williamson Courier; Secretary, R. E. Morningstar, Bowling Green Democrat; Executive Committee—H. A. Sommers, chairman; Robt. W. Brown, Capt. W. T. Havens, Joe Williams, M. F. Conley.

CONGRESSMAN EVANS, of Louisville, is dead "agin" the civil service law and is trying to knock the stuffing out of it with a resolution, which is, however, not likely to pass at the extra session. The whole business will be repealed before the end of the McKinley administration, though. The victors need the spoils and are going to have them.

NEARLY every Nation, tribe and tongue is represented in the jubilee in London in honor of the 60th anniversary of the coronation of Queen Victoria, who has ruled longer than any other potentate. The jubilee program began Sunday and will continue a week. London is crowded as never before and the pomp and splendor of the occasion was never surpassed.

COL. R. L. EWELL, whom we used to call the "Little Red Hog," has announced himself an independent republican candidate for circuit judge in the London district, and will make it hot for the regular nominee. The colonel is mighty strong in Laurel especially and has a good following in all the counties.

JUDGE CANTRELL holds that the \$500,000 bond issue authorized by the Legislature is invalid because it is unconstitutional and if the court of appeals sustains him, away goes most of the work of the extra session. It is predicted, however, that the court will decide against Judge Cantrell.

POLITICS

Gen. Stewart L. Woodford, of New York, was nominated for Minister to Spain.

Dr. A. D. James was appointed U. S. marshal for Kentucky and it is said that Dr. Deboe's entire slate will go through.

Of the 123 Yale graduates this year 99 are said to be republicans. This partisan concern ought to be tabooed by democratic patrons.

John R. McLean is said to have sworn evidence that the Southern delegations to the republican convention were bought for McKinley.

Senator Deboe says no Kentuckian can be appointed to an Indian agency. Residents alone are eligible. This lets out Editor McCoy, of Pineville, who will have to cut and come again.

Senators Carter, Hansborough, Manley, Pettigrew and Teller broke away from the republicans and voted against the amendments on the flax, hemp and jute schedules, relating to floor matting, plain jute fabrics, burlap and cotton bagging.

An unholy alliance between democrats falsely so-called, and republicans for private revenue only, is producing a terrible brood of vampires who will not leave "a rag, a bone, or a hank of hair" on either their sinful parents or the innocent people forced to suffer for the sins of their rulers.—Louisville Post.

Ex-Governor and ex-Congressman James B. McCreary is prominently mentioned as a candidate of the bimetallists in the Eighth Congressional district. An abler and more popular democrat does not live in the 8th district and if he is nominated he will carry his district by such a majority as will overwhelm all opposition whether appearing in detail or in a state of fusion.

Gov. McCreary is a tower of strength and outsiders will hope to see him bearing the flag to victory in his old fighting ground where defeat always perches on the other man's flag.—Bowling Green Courier.

News Briefly Told

Sunday's wind storm did much damage in the western portion of the State. A tornado in Kansas swept away one village and did great damage at other points.

John Green Brady, the new governor of Alaska, was once a homeless waif in New York.

A colored boy has confessed to robbing the store of Portman Bros., at Liberty, of \$40.

W. D. Lacy, a Logan county farmer, shot to death a Negro tramp who had insulted his wife.

Earthquakes are getting a little too numerous. The golden coast was shaken up Sunday and reports of several in the old world are made.

Walter Leslie was convicted at Tompkinsville of killing Cullum D. Cantrell and sentenced to 20 years' imprisonment. Nine of the jurors favored a verdict of murder.

Fred Hendricks, a Cincinnati youth, was fatally injured by falling from a flying dutchman.

Clerk Caufield, of the Eddyville penitentiary, has filed a suit for \$25,000 against Warden Happy.

Fire destroyed the magnificent library of the Iowa State University and caused the death of a fireman.

There is a plague of flies in Columbia county, Ark., and the people are fleeing to other parts of the State.

A New York man is at the point of death from the effects of a mosquito bite which caused blood poisoning.

Jake Zeller, a Swiss, living at Allendale, O., sold his wife for \$100 to get money to go back to the old country.

The loss to the government resulting from the burning of the immigrant station on Ellis Island, is nearly \$800,000.

George H. Jackson, famous as a witness in the Jackson-Walling cases, was convicted at Springfield, O., of perjury.

Banker Shipp will go to the penitentiary for looting the Midway bank, the court of appeals having decided against him.

Wood Lacy, a Logan county farmer, shot and killed Jesse Granger, a Negro who had insulted and frightened Mrs. Lacy.

Lida Scholle, a domestic at Springfield, O., shot herself to death and left a note stating that she was tired of both work and life.

Johnathan Smith was convicted at Tompkinsville for killing Deputy Sheriff Patterson and sentenced to 19 years in the penitentiary.

Pulaski Leeds, superintendent of machinery of the L. & N., has been elected president of the Master Mechanics' Association of America.

The Thames river is a favorite place for suicides to bury their sorrows. The bodies of 21 have been taken out of it in the last three months.

It is said that immediately after the jubilee celebration Queen Victoria will abdicate the thrown of England in favor of the Prince of Wales.

At Thomasville, Ga., George and Wm. Atkins, brothers, quarreled over the ownership of a horse, when the latter fatally stabbed the former.

Nashville is preparing to accommodate 100,000 visitors this week, which are expected to be drawn there by the Confederate re-union and the Centennial.

A severe wind storm struck Louisville Friday morning, the most violent since the tornado of 1890, doing much damage to trees, roofs and electric wires.

Peter Yates, the aged murderer of a woman in Louisville of whom he was jealous, died in jail from the effects of a self-inflicted wound at the time of the murder.

Gen. John H. Reagan, the last surviving member of the Confederate cabinet will deliver the oration at the meeting of the Confederate veterans at Nashville to-day.

Minister Craft, on trial at Prestonsburg for the murder of one Higgins many years ago, denied the crime on the witness stand, but confessed to killing two other men.

The Feeble-minded Institute at Lincoln, Ill., was wrecked by wind and four inmates killed. Severe storms occurred throughout Indiana, Nebraska and other States.

Col. Nicholas McDowell has a five-year-old cow with a record of 21 pounds of butter in seven days. B. G. Fox sold F. D. Spottwood, for Boston parties, his three-year-old bay mare, Early Sal, by Jewmont, dam by Messenger Chief, for \$700.—Advocate.

The peach crop in Hardin county is almost a failure. Some of the growers on Muldraugh Hill report that they will have a fourth of a crop but no report prospects for over that while most of them will hardly have half so much.—Elizabethtown News.

FARM AND TRADE.

The owner of Umbrella has refused \$10,000 for him.

Josiah Bishop has a ewe which weighs 195 pounds.

The wheat crop is being harvested now and is generally fair.

Ornament won the Himyar stakes at Latonia in a common gallop.

A horse said to be 45 years old is owned by a Centralia, Mo., man.

Fred P. Bishop sold to Lyon & Allen a lot of 700-pound butcher stuff at 3c.

There is talk of a \$25,000 free for all trot to come off at New York or Chicago.

A. J. and W. R. Rice bought of Hudson & Page 30-odd heifers and steers at \$15.75.

Balk Line, C. B. Reid's pride, ran third at Latonia Friday. He was a hot favorite.

The 2-year-old colt, George Keene, changed hands for \$12,000 at Lexington Saturday.

The Journal says that John B. Embry shipped 13 car loads of cattle from Nicholaville bought at 4c.

The Midway Clipper reports sales of \$8 extra fine two-year-old cattle, 1,400 to 1,500 pounds, at something less than 5c.

H. F. Newland and James and Geo. King sold to B. F. Robinson, of Robinson, of Garrard, a car load of 180-lb hogs at 3 cents.

Thompson & Jones, of Marion county, bought in the Shelby City and Hesstonville sections, a lot of 2-year-old heifers at 24 to 34c.

Valentine Fagaly has the best field of wheat we have heard of. It is most all between 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ and six feet high, while some of it measures 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet.

Within a year, within a month, within 24 hours. Why should you expose the accumulation of years of honest toil to loss by a single fire, which can destroy it in an hour? Soliciting a share of your patronage respectfully.

Additional Local.

The Crab Orchard Springs open tomorrow, Wednesday night, with a ball. It will be a mighty nice place to go and take your girl.

SUMMER boarders can find delightful accommodations at the College Home, Crab Orchard, which is presided over by Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Stapp. See notice in this issue.

SEVERAL nice showers have given impulse to vegetation and the face of nature is much improved. The atmosphere has been cooled, too, for which relief many thanks. Fairer, warmer Tuesday.

THE churches here began to hold union meetings Sunday night. The first was conducted by Rev. J. T. Sharrard at the Presbyterian church and the next will be at the Christian church and be conducted by Rev. J. B. Crouch.

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THE Stanford base ball club which had not met defeat this season, struck a snag when they played the Harrodsburg team here Friday afternoon and were beaten by a score of 20 to 2. Bonta and Temple, battery for the visitors, did fine work, while Hendricks and Johnson, for the Stanfords, did well, but the latter were not supported as they should have been. Hendricks struck out 12 men and Bonta eight and strange to say not even a "two-bagger" was gotten off of either. Two or more Danville boys played with the visitors.

CORRECTION.—Mr. Grove Kennedy was here yesterday and stated that our report of the shooting by his son and Will White is incorrect in that it says that Will Kennedy was behind his horse and shot at White as he came up. Those who saw it say they both jumped down at the same time and fired about the same time. He also says that White's horse did not run off with him, but he ran off from his horse and going to a store jumped on a horse standing there and it was from that animal he was thrown.

CIRCUIT COURT will not be in session again till Saturday.

IN the case of B. F. Scott's administrator vs the L. & N., in which a verdict for \$9,000 was returned, the attorneys filed 11 reasons for a new trial, 10 on errors made by the court and the other because the verdict is excessive and made under passion and prejudice. The court has not yet passed on it.

The \$1,000 damage suit against the L. & N., in which Train Dispatcher Sheridan was charged with abducting the child of Clarence Deatherage, which was on trial at last report, resulted in a verdict of \$50, which the court promptly set aside and a new trial will be had.

ON HIS EAR.—A reader of the Louisville Times saw the reproduction of paragraphs from Prentiss in its issue of a few afternoons ago, one of which read: "The sheriff of Lincoln county invites us to come and kick him. Dr. Johnson said of certain curiosities in Scotland that they were worth seeing but not worth going to see. In like manner we say of the Lincoln sheriff that he is worth kicking, but not worth going to kick." Sheriff Newland's attention was called to it and he was waltzing around on his auricular until it was explained that the paragraph was written about the time he was born and could not possibly refer to him.

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Now Is The Time to Buy.

Every item we present is a money saver. We are showing the best assortment of CRASH SUITS. Every suit cut in the new style and warranted to hold its shape. East Black Alpaca Coats, \$1.25.

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In all colors, from \$1 to \$3. Mens' Fixings and Hats. Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 45c. Fine Honeycomb Shirts and Drawers, 75c. Superior style Straw Hats at 50c. Extra Quality Maco Hose at 15c. Silk-lined and Washable Golf Caps at 25c. Bicycle Sweaters at 25c.

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PERSONALS.

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JAMES H. BURTON returned to Montgomery Saturday.

MRS. P. H. IDOL, of Lexington, was the guest of Mrs. J. E. Portman.

WILL SEVERANCE joined his wife at her father's in Shelby Sunday.

MISS CORA JONES, of Somerset, is the guest of Miss Stella Ballou.

MISS EDNA COURTS went to Greensburg Saturday to spend several weeks.

BEN HARDIN went to Monticello Saturday to spend a week with his father.

MISS ESTILL WALKER, of Richmond, is the guest of Miss Belle Denney.

MISS HATTIE HUMPHREY, of Bloomfield, is the guest of Miss Annie Evans Bright.

MR. AND MRS. J. H. McCARTY, of Kingsville, attended the elocutionary contest.

MRS. MARGARET WOODS, of Garrard, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Hays.

MR. J. S. HOCKER has been honored by election as curate of Kentucky University.

MRS. J. B. PAXTON will entertain the Economical Club next Thursday from 4 to 6.

MRS. J. D. SWAIN has been very ill with fever, but is improving.—Somerset Paragon.

MISSSES BESSIE AND JENNIE BURNSIDE, of Garrard, were guests of Miss Pearl Burnsides.

MRS. ELLEN L. OWSLEY and Mrs. Payne, of Lancaster, attended the funeral of Mr. Withers.

BLEDISOE BAILEY has returned from Lexington, where he has been attending a business college.

MRS. J. W. BASTIN and daughter, of Harrisburg, spent last week with her mother at Maywood.

MRS. NANNIE TYREE is back from Bowling Green and Nashville, where she has been for some time.

MISSSES SOPHIA McCORMACK and Carrie Dunn, of the West End, are guests of Miss Hattie Fowler.

MRS. T. A. RICE has arrived from New Orleans to spend the heated term with her brother, W. H. Shanks.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN S. CASSELL, Mrs. Nannie Moore and R. B. Bell, of Harrisburg, attended the contest.

MR. J. S. OWSLEY, JR., joined his wife and son at Franklin Sunday and will go from there to the Nashville Exposition.

MR. AND MRS. I. W. FISH are preparing to go to housekeeping in a part of Miss Carrie Porter's house on Lancaster street.

MISS CALLIE HORTON, the INTERIOR JOURNAL'S stenographer and typewriter, is spending a week in the country.

LT. CARLO B. BRITTIAN, of the U. S. Navy, who is shortly to marry Miss Mamie Baldwin, is visiting relatives in this county.

MRS. M. C. SAUFLEY left yesterday for Galiatin, Tenn., to visit Mrs. A. W. Glotzer, and will go to the Centennial while so near to it.

MR. AND MRS. HORACE BROWN found it so intensely hot in the city that they returned to Stanford and are now at the Myers House.

MISS HATTIE MARRS, who gave Miss Clark her first training in elocution, and Miss Ollie Marrs came up with her to the contest and were greatly disappointed that their favorite didn't get first honors.

MRS. J. M. BRUCE, of Elizabethtown, is preparing to give an elocutionary contest in July and has already secured a number of contestants, Mrs. Cherry and Miss Ida May Adams being among the number.

MR. O. P. McROBERTS, who is 82, and used to be a partner of Mr. H. S. Withers, came up from Danville to attend his funeral and was the guest of Mr. W. B. McRoberts. He is yet healthy and hearty.

MR. D. C. PAYNE, who has been in the grocery business here for several months, has been forced to give up his business and return to Crab Orchard in consequence of the serious illness of his wife.—London Echo.

MRS. J. W. NESBITT and Mrs. Schooler came down from Mt. Vernon with Miss Ida May Adams to attend the contest. Mrs. Nesbit is our excellent correspondent at that point and we are glad to know that she enjoyed her visit.

THE Mt. Vernon people, who think there is nobody like Dr. E. J. Brown, have been passing more highly eulogistic resolutions on him. They were prepared by Messrs. S. C. Davis, J. L. Joplin and S. C. Franklin and adopted at a meeting held last week.

MISS KATE COOK, who went to Crittenton Springs a week ago, was taken dangerously ill there Friday and for awhile her doctors thought she could not live. She grew better the following day, however, and is now thought to be out of danger.

MRS. M. M. SANDIDGE, of Milledgeville, who has been ill for a long time, is gradually growing weaker and there is little hope of her recovery.

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The following Confederates and their friends went to the Nashville re-union yesterday: Messrs. J. W. Alcorn, Thomas Richards, M. C. Saufley, W. G. Welch, H. Pendleton, J. R. Orndorf, Sam Engleman, G. W. DeBord, T. M. Goodknight and wife and Mrs. Rice, George P. Bright and daughter, Miss Annie E. Bright, and visitor, Miss Hattie Humphrey, Miss Frances Adams, G. A. Taylor, W. H. Higgins, Alfred and Harry Higgins, Walter and Will Hopper, Trueheart Bourne, Jas. and Hubert Carpenter, M. S. Peyton, Kendrick Alcorn, Eugene Orndorf.

HOME NEWS.

NEW shirt waist sets, links and belts. See the window. Danks.

OUR trusses give the greatest satisfaction. Craig & Hocker.

MACHINE oil from 20 to 35c per gallon. Higgins & McKinney.

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WAGON and implement paint, bright durable colors. W. B. McRoberts.

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Mr. Withers was a democrat and used to tell an interesting story in connection with his first vote. About the time he was 21 he roamed at Danville with Hon. T. C. McCreary, who was attending Centre College and who was afterwards U. S. Senator. They were about the same age and one day they decided to write a joint letter to Mr. VanBuren, who was then the president of the United States. In it they told him that they were about to cast their first vote and wanted to do so for the democratic ticket, but did not care to unless the administration took the proper course on the financial and slavery questions then agitating the country. They never expected to hear from the letter again and were consequently greatly elated when by due course of mail a letter with the official stamp of the government came to their address, which upon opening they found to be an answer written by the president's own hand. He acknowledged their letter in courteous terms, congratulated them on being democrats and assured them that he would do everything in his power for the best solution of the difficult pending. By lot or otherwise, the letter fell to Mr. McCreary and it may be in the possession of his family now.

Mr. Withers was a voracious reader and probably took a greater number of newspapers and periodicals than any man in this section. He was well posted on all questions, but his extreme modesty forbade him from making a public exhibition of it. He was for a long time and until his resignation, one of the commissioners of the Deaf and Dumb Institution at Danville, one of the best managed eleemosynary establishments in the State.

FLY paper and Fly Traps at Warren & Shanks.

MORE RAIDING.—Immunity from arrest seems not only to have emboldened the toll gate raiders but to have had its influence in unexpected quarters. Last Saturday a very daring raid in broad day light was perpetrated upon one of our worthy families. About 3 o'clock a number of vehicles came to a halt in front of the residence of Eld. J. T. Sharrard and before he could make any preparations for defense the house was in possession of the raiders and he and his wife commanded to keep quiet and say nothing under penalty of being severely dealt with. A number of suspicious and dangerous looking packages were placed in the dining room and parlor which proved later to contain munitions of war preparatory to a siege of winter or want. After holding the fort for a couple of hours they quietly dispersed. No arrests have been made. In fact we learn that Mr. Sharrard and wife invite them to come back again and promise next time to be prepared to receive them. What makes the matter worse is that the raiders wore dresses and hats and are members of the Christian church at this place.

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